

## PATENT APPLICATION

## IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re the Application of

Hisashi SANO

Group Art Unit: 2624

Application No.:

10/577,014

Examiner:

R. CHU

Filed: April 28, 2006

Docket No.:

127659

For:

AN IMAGE PROCESSING METHOD BASED ON PARTITIONING OF IMAGE

DATA, IMAGE PROCESSING DEVICE BASED ON PARTITIONING IMAGE DATA

AND PROGRAM

## AMENDMENT WITH REQUEST FOR CONTINUED EXAMINATION

Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

In reply to the May 10, 2011 Office Action, in consideration of the June 24, 2011 telephone interview with Examiner Chu, and upon entry of the attached Request for Continued Examination, please consider the following:

Amendments to the Claims as reflected in the listing of claims; and Remarks.